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The Attorney's records in the above-identified application show that a response is due from the United States Patent and Trademark Office to the Amendment filed January 13, 2003.

Applicants' attorney checked the PAIR status on the above application (copy enclosed) and it appears that USPTO did not received the Amendment response to the Office Action which Applicants' attorney filed on January 13, 2003.

Also, Applicants' attorney is enclosing a copy of the January 13, 2003 Amendment return post card, stamped dated by the USPTO showing that the USPTO did indeed receive the Amendment of January 13, 2003.

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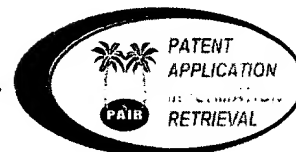
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